IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Reissue application of:

SUUTARI et al Art Unit: Not yet assigned

Application No.: New Reissue Application Examiner: Not yet assigned

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For: PROCEDURE FOR ENSURING THE OPERATION OF SIGNALLING

CHANNELS IN A V5 INTERFACE

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 MAIL STOP REISSUE August 21, 2003

Sir:

Prior to calculation of the filing fees and initial examination of the reissue application, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claim 1 as follows. A copy of the marked up original claims is attached to this response showing the changes from the previously issued claim as set forth in 37 CFR 1.121.